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## Viewing cable 08LISBON1999, TFGG01: PORTUGAL NOT PLANNING TO SUPPORT STRONG NAC STATEMENT REF: STATE 85678

If you are new to these pages, please read an introduction on the [structure of a cable](#) as well as how to [discuss them](#) with others. See also the [FAQs](#)

### Understanding cables

Every cable message consists of three parts:

- The top box shows each cables unique reference number, when and by whom it originally was sent, and what its initial classification was.
- The middle box contains the header information that is associated with the cable. It includes information about the receiver(s) as well as a general subject.
- The bottom box presents the body of the cable. The opening can contain a more specific subject, references to other cables ([browse by origin](#) to find them) or additional comment. This is followed by the main contents of the cable: a summary, a collection of specific topics and a comment section.

To understand the justification used for the classification of each cable, please use this [WikiSource](#) article as reference.

### Discussing cables

If you find meaningful or important information in a cable, please link directly to its unique reference number. Linking to a specific paragraph in the body of a cable is also possible by copying the appropriate link (to be found at the paragraph symbol). Please mark messages for social networking services like Twitter with the hash tags **#cablegate** and a hash containing the reference ID e.g. **#08LISBON1999**.

Reference ID	Created	Released	Classification	Origin
08LISBON1999	2008-08-11 18:08	2011-08-30 01:44	CONFIDENTIAL	Embassy Lisbon

Appears in these articles:

[http://rusrep.ru/article/2010/11/29/wikileaks\\_docs\\_02/](http://rusrep.ru/article/2010/11/29/wikileaks_docs_02/)

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RUEHSI/AMEMBASSY TBILISI PRIORITY 0048

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TAGS: NATO PARM KCFE PO RU GG
SUBJECT: TFGG01: PORTUGAL NOT PLANNING TO SUPPORT STRONG NAC STATEMENT REF: STATE 85678
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Classified By: Dana M. Brown, Pol-Econ Officer, Embassy Lisbon Reason 1.4 (b) and (d)

1. (C) Portugal is concerned about the crisis in Georgia but is not ready to make a statement against Russian actions at this time, according
2. (C) According to Neto, Portuguese FM Amado will return from vacation to attend the August 12 GAERC because he wants to hear the French anal
3. (C) Comment: Neto and Abreu both made it clear that the GOP would prefer not to support statements condemning either side, perhaps even aft Ballard